UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA

GLENN BANKS,)
Plaintiff,) Civil Action No.:
v.)
CREDIT ONE BANK, N.A.,)
Defendant.))

PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT

Plaintiff, GLENN BANKS ("Plaintiff"), through Plaintiff's attorney, Hair Shunnarah Trial Attorneys, LLC, alleges the following against Defendant, CREDIT ONE BANK, N.A. ("Defendant"):

INTRODUCTION

1. Plaintiff's Complaint is based on the Telephone Consumer Protection Act ("TCPA"), 47 U.S.C. § 227.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 2. This Court has jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. §§1331, 1337, 1367, and 47 U.S.C. § 227.
- 3. Venue and personal jurisdiction in this District are proper because Defendant does or transacts business within this District, and a material portion of the events at issue occurred in this District.

PARTIES

- 4. Plaintiff is an individual residing in Birmingham, and is a person as defined by 47 U.S.C. § 153.
- 5. Defendant is a National Association domiciled in Las Vegas, Nevada, doing business in Alabama, and is a person as defined by 47 U.S.C. § 153.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- 6. In or around March of 2020, Defendant began calling Plaintiff on Plaintiff's cellular telephone.
- 7. Plaintiff never provided consent, express or otherwise, to receive calls from Defendant.
- 8. Shortly thereafter, Plaintiff answered a call from Defendant and told Defendant to stop calling.
- 9. In the above-referenced call, Plaintiff revoked any consent that Defendant may have believed it had to call Plaintiff.
- 10. Despite Plaintiff's demand that the calls stop, Defendant continued to call Plaintiff multiple times per day.
- 11. Upon answering calls from Defendant, Plaintiff was met with a period of silence before someone came on the line.
- 12. Based on the nature and frequency of the calls, upon information and belief, these calls were placed via an Automatic Telephone Dialing System ("ATDS").
 - 13. Defendant's calls were not placed for emergency purposes.

14. Defendant knowingly and intentionally called Plaintiff via an ATDS without Plaintiff's consent.

VIOLATIONS OF THE TCPA

- 15. The preceding paragraphs are incorporated as if fully stated herein.
- 16. Defendant is liable under 47 U.S.C. § 227(b)(1) for placing ATDS calls to Plaintiff's cellular phone without consent.
 - 17. These calls were made knowingly and willfully.

DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

18. Plaintiff hereby demands a trial by jury.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Plaintiff respectfully requests that judgment be entered in Plaintiff's favor and against Defendant, including the following relief:

- 1. An injunction requiring Defendant to cease all calls to Plaintiff.
- 2. Statutory damages of \$1,500 per call for Defendant's willful violations of the TCPA.
- 3. Statutory damages of \$500 per call for Defendant's negligent violations of the TCPA.
- 4. All costs and attorney's fees incurred by Plaintiff.
- 5. Any other relief that this Court deems appropriate.

DATED: January 22, 2021	*	RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
		/s/

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Andrew Calhoun Andrew Calhoun (CAL085)

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